

# DESIGN PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

## (Large Entity)

(Only for new nonprovisional applications under 37 CFR 1.53(b))

Docket No.  
14293-1

Total Pages in this Submission  
52

### TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS

Mail Stop Design  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Transmitted herewith for filing under 35 U.S.C. 111(a) and 37 C.F.R. 1.53(b) is a new design patent application for an invention entitled:

VENETIAN BLIND HAVING DUAL-DRIVE MECHANISM

and invented by:

MING NIEN  
SONG-HE LUI  
YU-CHE WEN

If a **CONTINUATION APPLICATION**, check appropriate box and supply the requisite information:

☐ Continuation ☐ Divisional ☒ Continuation-in-part (CIP) of prior application No.: 10/143,300

Which is a:

☐ Continuation ☐ Divisional ☒ Continuation-in-part (CIP) of prior application No.: 10/384,524

Which is a:

☐ Continuation ☐ Divisional ☐ Continuation-in-part (CIP) of prior application No.: \_\_\_\_\_

Enclosed are:

### Application Elements

1. ☒ Filing fee
2. ☒ Specification having 36 page(s) and including the following:
  - a. ☒ Preamble (Application name, Title of Design)
  - b. ☒ Cross References to Related Applications (if applicable)
  - c. ☐ Statement Regarding Federally-sponsored Research/Development (if applicable)
  - d. ☒ Description of the Figure(s) of the Drawings
  - e. ☒ Description, if any
  - f. ☒ Claim (only one (1) claim permitted, MPEP 1503.03)

17858  
10/701042  
U.S. PTO



**DESIGN PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL**  
**(Large Entity)**

*(Only for new nonprovisional applications under 37 CFR 1.53(b))*

Docket No.  
14293-1

Total Pages in this Submission  
52

3. ☒ Drawing(s) (37 CFR 1.152)

☒ Formal    ☐ Informal    Number of Sheets 11  
☐ Photographs

4. ☐ Oath or Declaration

- a. ☐ Newly executed (original or copy)    ☐ Unexecuted  
b. ☐ Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d))(for continuation/divisional application only)  
c. ☐ With Power of Attorney    ☐ Without Power of Attorney  
d. ☐ DELETION OF INVENTOR(S)  
Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application,  
see 37 C.F.R. 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).

5. ☐ Incorporation By Reference (*usable if Box 4b is checked*)

The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the oath or declaration is supplied under Box 4b, is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein.

**Accompanying Application Parts (Continued)**

6. ☐ Assignment Papers (*cover sheet & document(s)*)

7. ☐ 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement (*when there is an assignee*)

8. ☐ English Translation Document (*if applicable*)

9. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement/PTO-1449    ☐ Copies of IDS Citations

10. ☐ Preliminary Amendment

11. ☐ Acknowledgment postcard

12. ☐ Certified Copy of Priority Document(s) (*if foreign priority is claimed*)

13. ☒ Certificate of Mailing

☐ First Class    ☒ Express Mail (*Specify Label No.*): EV 247105582US

**DESIGN PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL**  
**(Large Entity)**

*(Only for new nonprovisional applications under 37 CFR 1.53(b))*

Docket No.  
14293-1

Total Pages in this Submission  
52

14. ☐ Additional Enclosures *(please identify below)*:

**Fee Calculation and Transmittal**

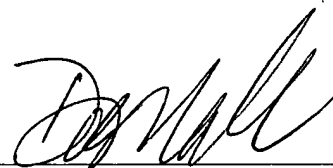
The filing fee for this design patent application is calculated and transmitted as follows:

<b>BASIC FEE</b>		<b>\$340.00</b>
<b>OTHER FEE (specify purpose)</b>	<b>2 EXTRA CLAIMS</b>	<b>\$18.00</b>
<b>TOTAL FILING FEE</b>		<b>\$358.00</b>

- ☒ A check in the amount of **\$358.00** to cover the total filing fee is enclosed.
- ☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge and credit Deposit Account No. \_\_\_\_\_ as described below.
- ☐ Charge the amount of \_\_\_\_\_ as filing fee.
- ☒ Credit any overpayment.
- ☒ Charge any additional filing fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 and 1.17.
- ☐ Charge the issue fee set in 37 C.F.R. 1.18 at the mailing of the Notice of Allowance, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.311(b).

Dated:

10/30/2003



Signature

Danton K. Mak (31695)  
Sheldon & Mak  
225 S. Lake Ave., 9th Floor  
Pasadena, CA 91101  
Tel: 626-796-4000  
Fax: 626-795-6321  
Email: Danton@usip.com

CC:



16076 U.S. PTO

103003

PTO/SB/17 (10-03)  
Approved for use through 07/31/2006. OMB 0651-0032  
Patent and Trademark Office: U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a valid OMB control number.

# FEE TRANSMITTAL for FY 2004

Effective 10/01/2003. Patent fees are subject to annual revision.

☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT (\$) \$358.00

## Complete if Known

Application Number

Filing Date

First Named Inventor

Nien, Ming

Examiner Name

Art Unit

Attorney Docket No.

14293-1

## METHOD OF PAYMENT (check all that apply)

☒ Check ☐ Credit card ☐ Money Order ☐ Other ☐ None

☒ Deposit Account:

Deposit  
Account  
Number

19-2090

Deposit  
Account  
Name

SHELDON & MAK

The Director is authorized to: (check all that apply)

☐ Charge fee(s) indicated below ☒ Credit any overpayments

☒ Charge any additional fee(s) or any underpayment of fee(s)

☐ Charge fee(s) indicated below, except for the filing fee  
to the above-identified deposit account.

## FEE CALCULATION

### 1. BASIC FILING FEE

Large Entity		Small Entity		Fee Description	Fee Paid
Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Code	Fee (\$)		
1001	770	2001	385	Utility filing fee	
1002	340	2002	170	Design filing fee	340.00
1003	530	2003	265	Plant filing fee	
1004	770	2004	385	Reissue filing fee	
1005	160	2005	80	Provisional filing fee	
SUBTOTAL (1)					(\$)

### 2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES FOR UTILITY AND

Extra Claims		Fee from below	Fee Paid
Total Claims			
22	-20** = 2	9.00	18.00
Independent Claims	1 - 3** = 0		0.00
Multiple Dependent			

Large Entity		Small Entity		Fee Description
Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Code	Fee (\$)	
1202	18	2202	9	Claims in excess of 20
1201	86	2201	43	Independent claims in excess of 3
1203	290	2203	145	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid
1204	86	2204	43	** Reissue independent claims over original patent
1205	18	2205	9	** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent

SUBTOTAL (2) (\$) \$18.00

\*\*or number previously paid, if greater; For Reissues, see above

## FEE CALCULATION (continued)

### 3. ADDITIONAL FEES

Large Entity		Small Entity		Fee Description	Fee Paid
Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Code	Fee (\$)		
1051	130	2051	65	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	
1052	50	2052	25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	
1053	130	1053	130	Non - English specification	
1812	2,520	1812	2,520	For filing a request for ex parte reexamination	
1804	920*	1804	920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
1805	1,840*	1805	1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
1251	110	2251	55	Extension for reply within first month	
1252	420	2252	210	Extension for reply within second month	
1253	950	2253	475	Extension for reply within third month	
1254	1,480	2254	740	Extension for reply within fourth month	
1255	2,010	2255	1,005	Extension for reply within fifth month	
1401	330	2401	165	Notice of Appeal	
1402	330	2402	165	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
1403	290	2403	145	Request for oral hearing	
1451	1,510	1451	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
1452	110	2452	55	Petition to revive - unavoidable	
1453	1,330	2453	665	Petition to revive - unintentional	
1501	1,330	2501	665	Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
1502	480	2502	240	Design issue fee	
1503	640	2503	320	Plant issue fee	
1460	130	1460	130	Petitions to the Commissioner	
1807	50	1807	50	Processing fee under 37 CFR § 1.17(q)	
1806	180	1806	180	Submission of Information Disclosure Statement	
8021	40	8021	40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	
1809	770	2809	385	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR § 1.129(a))	
1810	770	2810	385	For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR § 1.129(b))	
1801	770	2801	385	Request for Continued Examination (RCE)	
1802	900	1802	900	Request for expedited examination of a design application	

Other fee (specify) \_\_\_\_\_

\*Reduced by Basic Filing Fee Paid

SUBTOTAL (3) (\$) \_\_\_\_\_

## SUBMITTED BY

Name (Print/Type)

Danton K. Mak

Registration No.  
(Attorney/Agent)

31,695

Telephone

626-796-4000

Signature

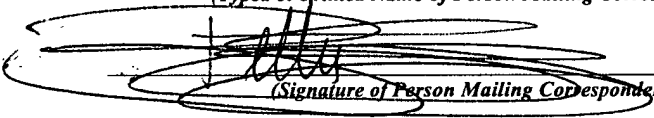
Date

October 30, 2002

**WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on**

This collection of information is required by 37 CFR 1.17 and 1.27. The information is required to obtain or retain a benefit by the public which is to file (and by the USPTO to process) an application. Confidentiality is governed by 35 U.S.C. 122 and 37 CFR 1.14. This collection is estimated to take 12 minutes to complete, including gathering, preparing, and submitting the completed application form to the USPTO. Time will vary depending upon the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you require to complete this form and/or suggestions for reducing this burden, should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, U.S. Department of Commerce, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

If you need assistance in completing the form, call 1-800-PTO-9199 and select option 2.

<b>CERTIFICATE OF MAILING BY "EXPRESS MAIL" (37 CFR 1.10)</b>			Docket No. <b>14293-1</b>
Applicant(s): <b>Nien, Ming</b>			
Serial No. To be Assigned	Filing Date	Examiner	Group Art Unit
Invention: <b>VENETIAN BLIND HAVING DUAL-DRIVE MECHANISM</b>			
<p>I hereby certify that the following correspondence:</p> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 10px; margin: 10px 0;"><b>Design Patent Application for "Venetian Blind Having Dual-Drive Mechanism"</b></div> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>(Identify type of correspondence)</i></p> <p>is being deposited with the United States Postal Service "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" service under 37 CFR 1.10 in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>October 30, 2003</u> <i>(Date)</i></p> <div style="text-align: center; margin: 20px 0;"><p><b>BETTY JAUREGUI</b> <i>(Typed or Printed Name of Person Mailing Correspondence)</i></p><div style="border: 1px solid black; border-radius: 50%; width: 150px; height: 80px; margin: 0 auto; display: flex; align-items: center; justify-content: center;"></div><p><i>(Signature of Person Mailing Correspondence)</i></p><p><b>EV 247105582US</b> <i>("Express Mail" Mailing Label Number)</i></p></div>			
<p><b>Note: Each paper must have its own certificate of mailing.</b></p>			